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Sir:

Attached please find the complete application papers and Large Entity fees in the above-identified application which are being placed in the U.S. Mail today, June 14, 2001, as Express Mail number EL151019454US.

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Respectfully submitted
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Sir:

1. This is a request for filing a:

(X) Divisional Application Under 37 CFR §1.53(b)

of pending prior application no. 08/964,257 filed on November 4, 1997 for
APPARATUS EQUIPPED SCANNER UNIT wherein the inventors are:

Hitoshi TERASHIMA
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Satoshi ISHIDA
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Using the enclosed specification of 21 pages and 8 claims.

The entire disclosure of the above mentioned pending prior application, is considered to be part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

2. Prior Application Information: Examiner: M. Nguyen
Group/Art Unit: 2722

3. X The filing fee is calculated below:

| | <u>CLAIMS AS FILED, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELED BY AMENDMENT</u> | | | |
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| | <u>FILED</u> | <u>EXTRA</u> | <u>RATE</u> | <u>FEE</u> |
| Total claims | 8 | 0 | \$18/\$9 | \$0.00 |
| Independent Claims | 1 | 0 | \$80/\$40 | \$0.00 |

Multiple Dependant Claims NO

Basic Filing Fee: \$ 710.00

Total Filing Fee: \$ 710.00

4. X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 13-0410.
5. X A check in the amount of \$ 710.00 is enclosed.
6. X Cancel claims 1 - 69
7. X Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
-- This is a Divisional of application Serial No. 08/964,257 filed November 4, 1997, and the entire disclosure of this prior application is considered to be part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.--
8. X Formal drawings are enclosed.
[Total Sheets: 9]
9. X The prior application is assigned to PFU Limited (50%) and FUJITSU LIMITED (50%), as filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on April 20, 2001. A copy of this assignment is enclosed and this assignment carries over to the present application.
10. X Oath or Declaration [Total Pages: 4]
- a. Newly Executed (original or copy)
- b. X Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d))

11. X Any Convention priority claimed in the parent application is hereby claimed for this application.
12. — A preliminary amendment is attached.
13. — Small Entity status as claimed in the parent application is still proper and hereby claimed for this application. A copy of the Small Entity document from the parent application is enclosed.

14. ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

- English Translation Document
— Information Disclosure Statement/PTO Form 1449
— Copies of IDS Citations
X Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
— Certified Copy of Priority Document
— Request for Reconsideration
— Other —

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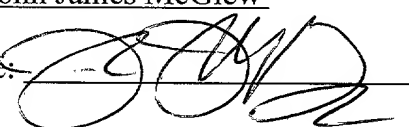
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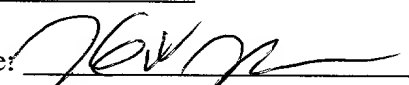
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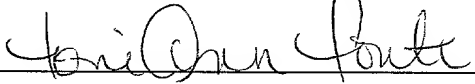
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